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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Research and Reports

SUBJECT: EIC Survey of Professional Personnel
Engaged in Production of Economic Intelligence

1. I have read the interesting subject report and find some figures I am at a loss to explain. Perhaps it is a matter of interpretation, but it would appear that in some instances the man-years relating to economic production for the NIS may be in error. You may want to clarify the matter before the next issuance.

2. In the NIS column of Table I-B, the Department of Agriculture is allocated 6 man-years and Commerce 5 man-years. The actual figures are more like 14 and 18 respectively. Similarly, in Table II-B the CIA total for contract personnel [redacted] while OBI alone has about [redacted] under contract for NIS economic research. In that same Table, Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry is pegged with 10 man-years, Mining and Manufacturing with 11, International Trade with 3, while NIS research alone accounts for about 18, 21, and 6 respectively. NIS research for the Population and Manpower sections totals about 13 man-years which is not reflected in the Table.

3. These figures also would affect Tables S-1 to S-7, particularly S-5 which purports to be a Comparison of Man-Years Allocated To The NIS Program. In addition to the non-USIB man-years in Table S-5, as indicated above, there may be some discrepancy in the USIB figures. According to a memorandum from the Chief, Budget Division, ORR [redacted] including clerical) to the NIS in FY 1966. Official correspondence from DIA [redacted] indicates a total of [redacted] spent on the NIS in FY 1966. It seems inconceivable that of this total, [redacted] were devoted to transportation intelligence for the NIS considering the amount of time that must be spent on their Military Geography contributions.

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